

Federal and State Agency Wetland Program Contacts



NRCS policy requires concurrence with the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers (COE) on many certified wetland determinations and coordination on many wetland violations. Although not a policy requirement, it is almost always prudent to coordinate with the appropriate state Water Management District when assisting a client in an action that may have a negative wetland impact, or when processing a Food Security Act wetland violation. This prevents unnecessary regulatory problems for the client and the involved agencies at the time of the impact and in the future.

Other state and federal agencies that NRCS may need to coordinate with on project-specific wetland issues include the Florida Department of Environmental Protection, the Florida Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services, and the U.S. Fish & Wildlife Service. Additionally, some counties and municipalities have their own wetland protection policies that may be more stringent than state and/or federal law. NRCS staff must be aware of these local policies.

Contact information for COE and Water Management District staff, as well as the other agencies mentioned above, can be found by viewing their respective geographic jurisdiction maps in Section I (C) 1. (Note: By going to the website provided at the top of the COE map and then clicking on a Regulatory Office, COE staff responsible for each county will be listed along with address, phone and email contact information.)